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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: M. Rahmjoo
HIROCHIKA MATSUOKA, ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2624
Application No.: 10/057,950	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 3587
Filed: January 29, 2002	)	
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For: COLOR-INFORMATION	)	May 21, 2007
PROCESSING METHOD, AND	:	
PROGRAM	)	

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Commissioner for Patents

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, the Examiner is respectfully requested to  
amend the above-identified application as follows: